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## LEGAL.

### Probate Sale.

ESTATE OF ADOLPH HARTMAN, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT pursuant to the order of the Superior Court in and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, Department No. 9 (Probate), made and entered in the matter of the estate of Adolph Hartman, deceased, on the 19th day of June, 1888, the undersigned, Maggie V. Hartman, administratrix of the estate of said Adolph Hartman, deceased, will sell at private sale on or after the 30th day of July, 1888, the following real property belonging to said deceased, and to his said estate to-wit:

An undivided one-third interest in all that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Sonoma, State of California and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point in the center of Sonoma Creek at the northeasterly corner of lands of James B. Morris; thence south sixty-six degrees, thirty minutes W., 24.12 chains along Morris' N. line to the center of the road from Sonoma to Santa Rosa via Bennett Valley, and thence along the center of said road N. 33 degrees 15 minutes W., 12.04 chains to a point from which an oak tree 12 inches in diameter bears E. 66 degrees, 30 minutes W., 36 links distant; thence S. 66 degrees, 30 minutes W., 21. 8 chains to E. boundary of lands of Thomas and T. H. Cheney; thence N. 23 degrees, 15 minutes W., 18.09 chains along said boundary of Cheney; thence N. 66 degrees, 30 minutes E., 42.02 chains to the center of Sonoma Creek; thence following the meanders of the center of said creek by the following bearings and distances: S. 48 degrees, 30 minutes E., 8 chains S., 13 degrees 45 minutes E., 3.16 chains to a dead tree; thence S. 56 degrees, 45 minutes E., 10 chains; thence S. 5 degrees, 45 minutes E., 8 chains; thence S. 40 degrees, 30 minutes E., 3.55 chains to the place of beginning, containing 111 acres. Mag. Var. 17 degrees, 10 minutes E., being a part of the Petaluma Rancho, and being a part of the northern (¾) three-fourths of a tract of land conveyed by M. G. Vallejo to Samuel Kelsey by a deed dated April 21, 1849, and recorded in liber C. page 206 of deeds of said Sonoma County Records.

Offers and bids for any of the above-described property will be received at the office of Lloyd & Wood, No. 13 Nevada Block, N. W corner of Pine and Montgomery streets in the City and County of San Francisco.

Terms of Sale—This property will be sold for cash in gold coin of the United States. Ten per cent of the purchase money must be deposited with the administratrix as soon as the bid is accepted and the balance on confirmation of the sale by said Superior Court. Acts of sale at the expense of the purchaser.

MAGGIE V. HARTMAN,
Administratrix of the Estate of Adolph Hartman, deceased. jy7-td

### Summons.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, IN AND for the County of Sonoma, State of California.

V. BULOTTI, Plaintiff,
vs.
Mrs. Maggie McDonell, widow of R. A. McDonell, John McDonell, Mary McDonell, daughter of Donald McDonell, Margery McDonell, Bell McDonell, Nancy McDonell, Christy McDonell, Alexander McDonell, son of Donald McDonald, Flora Kennedy, Catharine Kennedy, Flora McDonell, Maggie McDonnell, Mary J. McDonell, daughter of G. A. McDonnell, Alexander McDonnell, son of G. A. McDonnell, Donald McDonell, son of G. A. McDonell, Defendants.

Alias. Action brought in the Superior Court, in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.

The People of the State of California send greeting to Mrs. Maggie McDonell, widow of R. A. McDonell, John McDonell, Mary McDonell, daughter of Donald McDonell, Margery McDonell, Bell McDonnell, Nancy McDonell, Christy McDonell, Alexander McDonell, son of Donald McDonnell, Flora Kennedy, Catharine Kennedy, Flora McDonnell, maggie McDonell, Mary J. McDonell, daughter of G. A. McDonell, Alexander McDonell, son of G. A. McDonnell, Donald McDonell son of G. A. McDonell, Defendants.

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff, in the Superior Court, in and for the said County of Sonoma, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a judgment of partition of Lot No. 52, situate in the Town of Sonoma, Sonoma county, State of California, according to the rights of the respective parties; or, if a partition cannot be had without material injury to those rights, then the premises be sold and the proceeds applied:

1st—To the payment of the general costs of this action.

2d—To the cost of reference.

3d—That the residue be divided between the parties in proportion to their respective interests, and for other proper relief.

All of which will more fully appear from plaintiff's amended complaint on file herein, to which special reference is hereby made.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the amended complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court, in and for the said County of Sonoma, State of California, this 13th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

(SEAL.)

J. F. MULGREW, Clerk.
By L. W. JULLIARD, Deputy Clerk,
jy21 10t

### Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF W. D. QUEEN, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERsigned, Administrator of the estate of the said W. D. QUEEN, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator, at his residence near Sonoma City, or to his attorney Geo. Pearce, at his office in Santa Rosa, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the said County of Sonoma, State of California.

W. B. READ,
Administrator of the estate of W. D. QUEEN, deceased.
Dated at Sonoma, July 2, 1888. jy7 5t

### Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF VALENTINE HOPE, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERsigned, Administratrix of the Estate of Valentine Hope, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administratrix at her residence on the east side of Broadway street in the town of Sonoma, about one-fourth of a mile south of the Plaza, or at the law office of Wm. E. McConnell on Exchange avenue in the city of Santa Rosa, the same being her place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

ADELAIDE HOPE,
Administratrix of the Estate of Valentine Hope, deceased.
Dated July 20, 1888. jy28 5t

## MISCELLANEOUS.

**CONSTIPATION**

IS called the "Father of Diseases," because there is no medium through which disease so often attacks the system as by the absorption of poisonous gases in the stomach and bowels. It is caused by a Torpid Liver, not enough bile being excreted from the blood to produce Nature's own cathartic, and is generally accompanied with such results as

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Great strength and durability is another advantage. In other pianos holes are bored in wooden boards and tuning pins inserted. The pins turn round in this board and cannot stand permanently in tune, and it often cracks, splits, drys out, becoming utterly, totally and entirely worthless as a musical instrument. Our STEEL tuning device is in no way affected by such casualities, and the sounding board is so constructed that our pianos can never become thin or metallic in tone. They are always in tune and the expense of tunning is saved. This patent alone is worth millions and makes our piano the greatest in the world. Prices are no higher than other pianos. Buying direct from us, the largest manufacturers, you save $100 or $200—dealers' profits. Don't mind the ominous growlings of dealers and agents, who see their chances of selling a poor piano at a big profit of $200—slipping away—pity them.

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## THE LOOM OF LIFE.

Todays fade into yesterdays, as each day has before,
The present, past and future revolving o'er and o'er
Into a coming morrow the next and then the next.
Weaving themes for story, for sermons many a text
Each day we number singly, gathering one by one
The web of life thus weaving, from threads distinctly spun,
Sunlight and shadow shuttles throwing mingled sunnies and tears,
Life, love and death for filling—these form the woof of years
—Clark W Bryan in Good Housekeeping

## A MAD RIDE.

Do you ask me the cause of that single lock of white hair over my right temple? Well I will tell you now, though for a year after the event occurred which caused it, I would not mention the subject under any consideration

One bright autumn afternoon, I dressed myself with unusual care to make a call on a Mrs Mark Doliber, whose husband was in close business relations with mine. I went to the —— hotel, where she was staying, and on sending up my card was told the lady was not feeling very well, but would like to see me if I would come to her room

"Show the lady to 350, sixth floor," said the man in waiting, with the usual flourish, to the man in the elevator.

I found a gentleman already in the elevator, and while waiting to see if no one else cared to be taken up I had a good look at him He was a very large, finely proportioned man, with a singularly attractive face. He did not seem inclined to be seated, but walked from the elevator into the hall and back, and then from one side to another (for it was a large, square very showily furnished apartment), apparently desirous of examining the workmanship He entered into conversation with the man in charge, asking him questions about the machinery and management, and before we reached the third floor they were excellent friends The elevator man had imparted his entire stock of information as to the running of his car, and had been delighted at the impression this knowledge seemed to make on the stranger

At the third floor we stopped, the elevator man evidently expecting some one He stepped into the hall to take a survey when like a flash the door shut to and the car started up The gentleman turned to me with the calmest, most benignant smile

"Madame," he said, "I knew you would much prefer to be served by a gentleman of quality than by that clown. Where can I leave you?"

"Stop for the elevator man, I implore of you," I cried; "you do not understand managing the machinery"

"Indeed, madame, you injure my feelings very much Just as though I had not manipulated the elevator for his highness the shah of Persia, as well as for the emperor and empress of China, and the great mogul of India!"

"Please leave me at the sixth floor," I answered meekly, too much disconcerted to reflect that there were only one story buildings in any of the countries he had enumerated.

"Certainly, you shall be left at the sixteenth floor," he replied, as we passed the door where I fain would have entered

"I said 'sixth floor,'" I rejoined with some asperity

"Oh, pardon me, ever fairest if not dearest. You do not mind if I wait until the return trip before leaving you?"

Something was not right with the man that was certain He was silly, sentimental, light headed; and he was also vigilant and on the alert He would not let me come near the door or the operating cable Up up we went, till we reached the top I was in hopes he would not be able to start the machine down again, and I called to a passing domestic "Open the door for me, quick!" But it was of no use, we had started down, and the woman called after me "The doors only open from the elevator, ma'am"

When I glanced at my companion's face, after this appeal to the servant, I saw it had undergone a change. Instead of the bright, benignant expression, with the cheerful smile coming and going, there was a dark, angry scowl, and his hand some eyes, that had rested on me in admiration but an instant previous, flashed forth such wrathful glances that I felt they would burn if they did as their owner wished A chill crept over me as I asked myself the question, "Can this man be in same?"

"Madame," he said fiercely, "you have grossly trespassed on my forbearance. I would have served you like a slave; and see what a return you make!"

With every word he uttered his passion grew hotter and hotter Instantly I saw that I must try pacific measures, and with a calmness that I was far from feeling, I said "Sir, I did not mean to be ungrateful, ingratitude is something I despise. Let me thank you a thousand times for your desire to serve me."

The scowl, the anger, the passion vanished as soon as they had appeared. He took my hand, and nearly reducing it to a shapeless mass by the vehemence with which he pressed it in his large, powerful palm, he replied "Madame, don't mention it. I felt your ingratitude was not premeditated. It was merely the result of—of—of—well, perhaps of indigestion."

I wanted to smile at this suggestion, but I felt that it would be dangerous; so I heaved a deep sigh and tried to look as sad as I could. Watching my every expression, this sadness brought him on his knees, while he implored me to tell him what he could do for me.

"Stop on the ground floor," I quickly—perhaps too much so for my object—demanded.

We had arrived at the third floor, and the door not closing tightly on our ascent, the elevator man stood with it opened ready to spring in. With the nimbleness of a cat my big companion was up on his feet, and he dealt the man such a resounding blow that he toppled over against the opposite wall of the corridor, his head banging with a crash.

"Madame," he said, triumphantly, "you will perceive I am a good hand at cracking cocoanuts" And he began to tell me the most ludicrous tale of the number and size of the human fruit he had broken.

Interrupting him, I said. "Here is the ground floor"

It was a dangerous interruption. For a minute his face was darkened with the angry scowl, and I did not know but my term had come for having my cocoanut cracked But he exhibited his resentment only by saying snappishly: "Ground floor! of course this is the ground floor. Where else would you expect to have it? On the top of the house"

When the elevator reached the bottom the new machinist exhibited the same skill in starting it up again as he had at the other end of the line. By this time the different floors had more or less people watching for our approach. The car was made to go at the top of its speed. In spite of that, I heard one man ask, as we shot by a landing

"Is that the man you are after?" and the reply made my hair rise "Yes, he got out of the mad ward,"—and the rest of the sentence was lost to me So here I was, caged up with a maniac, flying up and down between the first and tenth stories of the hotel at the maddest of all mad rates

There were more men at the open door of the third landing when we passed it, but we were going so fast, and the big figure of my crazy companion stood so close and so threateningly at the entrance, that it would have been worse than foolish to have attempted to pass him I could hear the servants who had congregated in large numbers on their floor say:

"Ah, poor lady! How white she looks! I should die of fright if I were in her place! To think we can't nobody help her!"

The thought occurred to me, there is somebody that can—God can help me! And it was such a comfort to remember that I was in the habit of going to him at other times, besides when in distress! I prayed fervently, and my fears grew less overpowering.

The shaft that the elevator occupied was not inclosed with brick, as is generally the case; instead, there was a heavy, open wire work around it, which enabled me to see and hear a great deal. I could see the men with their heads together suggesting means of stopping the flying machine, as it now had become. They tried slipping long iron rods through from side to side of the shaft, but they snapped like tow Every attempt to enter or stop the car made my companion more and more furious. At length, while coming down the tenth time, he caught sight of some one, probably his keeper, whom I have already mentioned, and his excitement was intense. He did not seem to think of me. He walked back and forth in his rage, talking fiercely, and gesticulating with great violence. I sat perfectly still, feeling every moment that he might want to vent his anger on me if I drew attention to my existence.

Something fell on my shoulder, and casting my eyes round, I saw some one had been skillful enough to thrust in a bit of folded paper I cautiously bided my time, and when my companion's back was turned, read: "When you reach the lowest floor turn on the brake. You will find it on the elevator floor next the cable. It's your only salvation." I crumpled the paper in my hand just in time, for the maniac wheeled round as I did.

The next time his back was turned I looked for the brake. There it was, down by the operating cable, but it seemed that it might just as well have been in the Desert of Sahara, so far as the possibility of my reaching it was concerned. We went up and down three times before my mind was made up as to how I should work that brake. There was nothing to be done in the line of reasoning or arguing or trying to divert his attention—he was in a too highly excited state. He was too powerful for me to march up boldly and turn it before his eyes. I must resort to strategy.

I kept saying, "What if you fall?—what if you fail?" But that did not increase my courage. And at last, nerving myself to the highest pitch of fortitude, just before reaching the bottom I rose from my place, which was exactly opposite the precious brake, and, throwing up my hands and uttering a loud cry, as if in distress, I fell heavily to the floor. Never did a fall have to be so well calculated. I was just tall enough to reach the brake with my outstretched hand; but if, in my excitement, I went either to the one side or the other all would be lost. But God was pitiful, finger turned the bit of iron that was connected with the machinery in such a manner as to make any movement impossible.

My cry and fall startled the maniac, and if I had remained perfectly still until the door was pried open all would have been well As it was, I remained on the floor what seemed to me an eternity, and, feeling sure my rescuers would be within in an instant, I got up But this was a very false move, for the exasperation of not being able to work the car had roused the madman to such a state of frenzy that he turned on me, and, fairly gnashing his teeth, he seized me by the shoulder and cried: "What have you done, you miserable woman? Shooting is too good for you, but it's the only punishment I can inflict." So saying, he drew his revolver and took aim at my throat.

I remember I was very cool, even at that most trying time. I moved the revolver, saying, "Well, don't muss my fresh crepe lisse ruffle." The cold steel pressed my right temple, and that sensation, with the crash of the opening elevator door, was the last conscious moment I had for three weeks.

I was carried home with a stony gaze on my face that frightened my servants almost out of their wits. A doctor was summoned, and owing to a sound constitution I pulled through a brain fever that would have carried off a less robust woman.

I shall never forget the first time I took a hand glass to gaze at the alterations my illness had brought in my countenance. The sight of the white lock of hair made me feel again the cold steel against my temple, and the madman's fierce breath against my cheek I think I went over the entire scene before my husband could walk across the room and take the glass out of my hand. That little excitement delayed my recovery for months.

Do you wonder it was a year after I was well before I could speak with composure of my mad ride?—Paul Capell in Demorest's Monthly.

### Skillful Financiering.

At the club

Charlie—That was a good game of poker we had last night.

Harry—First rate. How did you come out?

Charlie—Ten dollars ahead.

Harry—How do you figure it out that way? You borrowed twenty, didn't you, to begin on?

Charlie—Yes, but I only lost $10 of it.—Washington Critic.

### A Heavy Domestic Offense.

Customer — Some children's shoes, please.

Dealer—Yes, sir. Now, there is an excellent make of shoe. How old is the child?

Customer (with a sigh)—Child! I have nine of 'em Show me to the wholesale department.—New York Sun.

### Something in a Name.

Sir Francis Knolly's name for his newly christened daughter might turn the stomach even of an aristocrat. He has called her "Lourima," as a complimentary combination representing Louise, Victoria and Maud, the three daughters of the Prince of Wales.—New York Sun.

SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

H. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

SONOMA, AUGUST 4, 1888.

Communications upon matters of local or general interest solicited.

Communications designed to call attention to any matter of limited or individual interest will not be inserted unless paid for as an advertisement.

The author's real name must accompany all communications, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. This rule will not be deviated from.

## THE VINTAGE.

CAPT. J. H. DRUMMOND of Glen Ellen, who has recently visited all the leading wine districts of the State, estimates the vintage of the coming season at 18,000,000 gallons. Of this amount Sonoma county will produce 2,200,000 gallons. The Captain is a close observer and as his estimates are usually correct we can safely say that the season's vintage will not exceed 18,000,000 gallons, assertions to the contrary notwithstanding.

For some time past the city Press, which is more or less influenced by the large wine dealers of San Francisco, has been figuring on the yield of grapes this season, and with apparent sincerity it is stated that the coming vintage will not fall short of 30,000,000 gallons. The opinion of these writers reminds us of a little story. The agricultural editor of one of the city dailies, yearning for a brief vacation, waited upon the managing editor with the request that he be allowed a few days off in the country to rest his weary bones. His superior hesitated about granting the request, when the overworked agricultural paste-pot and shears man exclaimed: "I have now been employed for the past ten years in writing up the agricultural department of your paper and have never yet seen a cow, and I wan't to go into the country to see what it looks like, anyhow." Thus it is with these city viticultural writers. For years they have been engaged in estimating the wine yield of this State and we doubt if they ever saw a growing grape-vine or could distinguish a white wine from apple cider.

THE Republican State Convention which assembled in San Francisco last Tuesday for the purpose of nominating candidates for Chief Justice and an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Presidential electors and Congressmen completed its labors in a most harmonious manner. The following were chosen:

For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court—Judge W. H. Beatty of Sacramento.

For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court—Judge S. D. Works of San Diego.

Electors at Large—John F. Swift and W. H. L. Barnes.

Alternate Electors at Large—Geo. G. Blanchard of El Dorado and C. T. Jones of Sacramento.

Congressman First District—J. J. De Haven.

Congressman Second District—John Egan of Amador.

Congressman Third District—J. McKenna.

Congressman Fourth District—W. W. Morrow.

Congressman Fifth District—T. Guy Phelps.

Congressman Sixth District—W. H. Vandever.

Presidential Electors—First District—Thos. L. Carothers. Second District—G. L Schell. Third District—L. B. Misner. Fourth District—S. M. Shortridge. Fifth District—Geo. A. Knight. Sixth District—H. M. Streeter.

FISH Commissioner Routier lately inspected the hatchery at Lake Tahoe. He reports 600,000 fine healthy young trout at that point which will soon be ready for distribution. Parties desiring fish for private ponds, etc., should make application to the Commission at Sacramento, remembering, however, that those served will have to stand the cost of transportion.

### Children

Often need some safe cathartic and tonic to avert approaching sickness or to relieve colic, headache, sick stomach, indigestion, dysentery and the complaints incident to childhood. Let the children take Simmons Liver Regulator and keep well. It is purely vegetable, not unpleasant to the taste and safe to [take] alone or in connection with [other] edicine.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, July 27, 1888.

Senator Cullom has offered a preamble and resolution in regard to the monopoly which the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has, by controlling all the approaches to the bridge over the St. Mary's River, on the boundary line between the United States and Canada, and directing the Interstate Commerce Commission to inquire into these matters and report to Congress if any additional legislation is necessary to protect out interests.

The House Committee on Agriculture, which recently decided to postpone the further consideration of the various bills relating to compounded lard until next December, has reconsidered its action, and decided to report to the House the Lee bill to prevent the sale, manufacture or transportation of adulterated articles of food, drink, and drugs; also a substitute for the Butterworth bill defining lard and imposing a tax upon compound lard and regulating its sale, importation and exportation.

The Republican Senators have had no end of trouble in reaching an agreement on tariff, but with the aid of a caucus held Wednesday evening, they have finally decided to report, thoroughly discuss, and pass a substitute for the Mills bill. The measure, they say, is nearly ready to report. Sugar and the internal revenue will furnish the principal reductions.

The House has passed a bill to create a United States Land Court, for the purpose of judicial investigation and settlement of private land claims in New Mexico and Colorado. Arizona was originally included in the bill, but Delegate Smith, of that Territory, made such a vigorous opposition that he succeeded in having an amendment exempting Arizona adopted.

Curious things come out sometimes in Congressional investigations. There is a committee now engaged in investigating the publication of the War Records. The other day a witness testified that the work of the War Records office was three months ahead of the Government printing office in its work; now the foreman of that institution testifies that on the very day that the other testimony was given he received a verbal request from the War Records of office, to stop composition until they could catch up. Both gentlemen cannot possibly have told the truth.

A service pension bill has been introduced by Senator Hiscock. Under its provisions every person who served three months in the army or navy during the civil war is entitled to a pension.

Chairman Geo. O. Jones, of the National comittee of the Greenback party, is in this city for the purpose of issuing a call for a national convention of that party. Mr. Jones says the financial question completely overshadows that of the tariff.

It is understood that Senator Ingalls is preparing a speech on the fisheries treaty that will attack the whole foreign policy of the administration.

Speaker Carlisle declined to attend the Piedmont Chatauqua gathering at Atlanta, Ga. It is generally thought that his reason for declining was the discourteous manner in which Senator Colquitt acted toward Representative McKinley, by refusing to deliver an invitation which was sent through him.

A bill has been favorably reported to the Senate, making the fee for examining applicants for pension $2 for each surgeon when made by a board, and $2 when made by a single surgeon. It allows traveling expenses if the surgeon has to go to the applicant's residence.

Opinions differ: Hon. Jno. C. New, of Indiana, who was here this week, says that Harrison and Morton were bound to be elected this year. The same day Hon. Frank Hurd, Ex-Congressman from Ohio, was here. He said the tariff reform issue would sweep the country, and that Cleveland and Thurman would be elected by one of the largest elective majorities ever given. Now, one of these gentlemen is bound to be wrong. Which one?

Look out for another deadlock in the House. The district tax bill, which caused the late deadlock in the House, after its passage by the Senate, has been added as an amendment to the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill in the Senate.

### Renews Her Youth.

Mrs. Phœbe Chesley, Peterson, Clay, Co., Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 73 years old, have been troubled with kidney complaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without help. Now I am free from all pain and soreness, and am able to do my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed my youth, and removed completely all disease and pain." Try a bottle, 50c. and $1 at E. Wegner's Drug Store.

## Points in Favor of Growing Figs.

That the tree does well in any soil, black adobe, red clay, sandy loam or even in a bed of gravel. That no insect pest troubles fruit or tree. This will make the fig a favorite fruit to grow with many who have become discouraged in fighting fruit pests! There are no off years and no light crops. The fig is as regular as the seasons in their course and year after year the tree is loaded with its luscious burden. There are many varieties, 150 at least, and only a few kinds have yet been tested in this State. They are rapid growers and the third year produce a paying crop. In many instances a fair crop can be obtained in the second summer. California is the only State of the Union where this fruit grows to perfection and there is no fear of over production. There is a great difference in the hardihood of figs about frost. The white Adriatic is the most tender of all. Besides drying the fig can be preserved in a variety of ways and is a healthy and favorite food. It bears an enormous crop and continues to live and bear for a century. But little irrigation is required to start the young trees and no water is needed after the trees are two or three years old. Next to the orange we regard the fig as the most important fruit that can be grown in this section of California.—Oroville Register.

## One Hundred Thousand Farms.

Under the enlightened and progressive policy of its Executive and Congress the Republic of Mexico during the past few years has granted concessions to promote the development and settlement of that country so richly endowed by nature in the resources of the soil, the forest, field and mine, and blessed with all the advantages of a salubrious and geographical location.

One of the most important and valuable of the concessions has been secured by the Mexican Land and Development Company whose advertisement appears elsewhere, by which is acquired the ownership of one-third of the public domain in the State of Tamaulipas amounting to several million acres, including agricultural, mineral, timber and grazing lands.

Tamaulipas is the eastern state of Mexico, and is bordered by the Gulf of Mexico and the Rio Grande River, its north-east corner being opposite the city of Brownsville, Texas, thus immediately adjoining the United States. There are many portions of the state that are not surpassed in fertility and beauty anywhere in the world. The climate is salubrious, with an average rainfall for ten years of thirty-three inches per year; the soil is rich, and it abounds in valuable timber and large deposits of iron, oil, coal and the precious metals. Still in its primitive condition there is an opening here for all industries from the smith shop to the great iron, cotton and woolen factories. From the primitive wagon road to the iron horse and steel rail; from the wild animal of the forest to the high breed cattle and sheep of the field; from the primitive methods of agriculture to the steam plow and mower and reaper; from the common huts for human habitation to the prosperous farm house and the thriving town and city; from the conditions of the sixteenth century to the civilization of to-day.

The ultimate results of this enterprise with intelligent management must be marvelous, and the stock of the company now offered for sale is simply to secure funds for their full realization. One of the largest blocks of the most valuable agricultural land in the world, great tracts of timber, large bodies of mineral land, vast oil fields, sites for towns and cities are acquired with an opportunity for building and operating railroads, steamship lines, and other public works.

Subscribe for your local paper and send it to friends in the East.

For the best of accommodations go to the Union Hotel. *

## POLITICAL CARDS.

☞ Under this head candidates for the various offices will be announced. Fee $5, strictly in advance.

### FOR SUPERVISOR.

**M. K. Cady,**

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR SUPERVISOR,

Sonoma and Vallejo Townships. (First District.) Election, Tuesday, November 6, 1888.

## NEW TO-DAY.

### Southern Pacific Company.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

EXCURSION TICKETS

—TO—

**Mt. Shasta,**

Ager, Montague, Dunsmuir, Soda Springs,

**Yosemite,**

Big Trees, The Geysers

Truckee, Summit,

**Lake Tahoe**

And Other Mountain Resorts.

A. N. TOWNE, General Manager. T. H. GOODMAN, Gen. Pass. & Tkt. Agt.

au1 SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. 2m

Representative McShane, of Nebraska, has sent to the architect of the Capitol a painting representing the first homestead taken up in the United States under the homestead law. It was located in Gage county, Nebr., by Daniel Freeman.

### A WOMAN'S WAY.

**A Startling Business Proposition.**

A little over six weeks ago Mrs. Fowler of 327 Ellis street, San Francisco, stopped in at a leading city druggist's to ask what effect Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla, about which she had heard so much recently, would have in cases of dyspepsia and sick headache. She was assured that in most cases it would relieve both. She was, however, so incredulous that finally the druggist gave her a bottle, not to be paid for unless it effected a cure. A proposition so startlingly practical has seldom, if ever before, been made. The following just received is the convincing conclusion, and tells its own story:

San Francisco, February 8, 1888.

DEAR SIR:—I write to admit that, notwithstanding my misgivings, Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla did all that you promised. I had tried so many prescriptions, to no purpose, that I had come to believe nothing would relieve my dyspepsia and sick headaches, but I have not had a return of either since I commenced taking it. I believe I am permanently cured, but will, out of an abundance of caution, continue to take it regularly for a while yet. You have my permission to make this public, for it is my belief that a remedy that will cure dyspepsia and prevent sick headaches should be generally known. Respectfully,

Mrs. M. Fowler,
327 Ellis street.

### A LUCKY TRIAL.

DEAR SIR: It affords me great pleasure to send you this voluntary statement of my experience in testing the properties of Joy's Sarsaparilla. For the past five years I have been troubled with an exceedingly sluggish liver, and within the past two years it has brought within its trail a thoroughly disordered stomach, including loss of appetite and distress after eating, pains in the back and kidneys, and boils around my neck and face. I have tried several remedies which are advertised as specially for the liver, and never could get more than temporary relief of about a week or two. I was recommended to try a bottle of Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla as a test, and while taking the first bottle I became convinced of its merits for I could feel it was working a change in me. I have taken five bottles, and during that time my troubles have left me. Everything is working full and regular, in fact it has cleansed, purified and braced me up generally. I feel like a new man. You are at perfect liberty to use this as you see fit, or you can refer whom you please to

Chas. Lea

With Beamish, corner Third and Market streets, San Francisco.

**Ask for Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla.**

One pint of the juices of Vegetable alteratives peculiar to California, combining the most effective liver and kidney remedy, blood purifier stomach regulator and vegetable laxative in existence. All druggists. $1 per bottle: 6 for $5.

## NEW TO-DAY.

### Peculiar

Peculiar in combination, proportion, and preparation of ingredients, Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses the curative value of the best known remedies of the vegetable kingdom. **Hood's Sarsaparilla** Peculiar in its strength and economy, Hood's Sarsaparilla is the only medicine of which can truly be said, "One Hundred Doses One Dollar." Peculiar in its medicinal merits, Hood's Sarsaparilla accomplishes cures hitherto unknown, won for itself the title of "The greatest blood purifier ever discovered." Peculiar in its "good name at home,"—there is more of Hood's Sarsaparilla sold in Lowell than of all other blood purifiers. Peculiar in its phenomenal record of sales abroad **Peculiar** no other preparation ever attained so rapidly nor held so steadfastly the confidence of all classes of people. Peculiar in the brain-work which it represents, Hood's Sarsaparilla combines all the knowledge which modern research in medical science has developed, **To Itself** with many years practical experience in preparing medicines. Be sure to get only

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**

Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

**100 Doses One Dollar**

## Notice to Property-Owners.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma, will on Monday the 13th day of August, 1888, sit as a Board of Equalization at the City Pavilion, to equalize the Assessment of the City Assessor for said year.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

F. BREITENBACH, City Clerk.

## Financial Report of the City of Sonoma.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF TRUSTEES of the City of Sonoma—Gentlemen: I herewith present my report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1888:

RECEIPTS

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| 1887. | | |
| July 1.—To cash on hand | | $ 289 79 |
| Aug. 4.—To cash paid in by U. P. Vallejo, Marshal | | 20 00 |
| Sept. 7.—To cash paid in by U. P. Vallejo, Marshal | | 80 00 |
| Sept. 11.—To cash paid in by U. P. Vallejo, Marshal | | 17 00 |
| Aug. 3.—To cash paid in by J. McDonell, Clerk | | 82 75 |
| Nov. 2.—To cash paid in by U. P. Vallejo, Marshal | | 113 00 |
| Nov. 2.—To cash paid in by U. P. Vallejo, Marshal | | 20 00 |
| Nov. 2.—To cash paid in by Jas. McDonell, Clerk | | 3 45 |
| Dec. 1.—To cash paid in by U. P. Vallejo, Marshal | | 1,152 50 |
| Dec. 13.—To cash paid in by G. W. Sparks, Marshal | | 110 00 |
| 1888. | | |
| Jan. 3.—To cash paid in by G. W. Sparks, Marshal | | 37 10 |
| Feb. 28.—To cash paid in by G. W. Sparks, Marshal | | 48 50 |
| Mar. 29.—To cash paid in by G. W. Sparks, Marshal | | 102 30 |
| June 6.—To cash paid in by G. W. Sparks, Marshal | | 140 00 |
| Total | | $2,225 59 |

DISBURSEMENTS.

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| 1887. | | |
| July 7.—By warrants drawn, Nos. 258-277, inclusive | | $155 25 |
| Aug. 4.—By warrants drawn, Nos. 278-283, inclusive | | 83 63 |
| Sept. 7.—By warrants drawn, Nos. 284-289, inclusive | | 138 00 |
| Oct. 6.—By warrants drawn, Nos. 290-293, inclusive | | 88 85 |
| Nov. 2.—By warrants drawn, Nos. 294-298, inclusive | | 120 15 |
| Dec. 9.—By warrants drawn, Nos. 299-304, inclusive | | 221 50 |
| 1888. | | |
| Jan. 5.—By warrants drawn, Nos. 305-316, inclusive | | 292 96 |
| Feb. 2—By warrants drawn, Nos. 317-333, inclusive | | 359 21 |
| Mar. 7.—By warrants drawn, Nos. 334-348, inclusive | | 243 07 |
| Apr. 4.—By warrants drawn, Nos. 349-352, inclusive | | 72 90 |
| May 3.—By warrants drawn, Nos. 353-366, inclusive | | 136 90 |
| June 7.—By warrants drawn, Nos. 367-376, inclusive | | 229 43 |
| By Treasurers' com. for moneys paid in | | 19 35.7 |
| By Treasurers' com. for moneys paid out | | 21 41.5 |
| July 1.—By balance on hand | | 42 87.8 |
| Total | | $2225 59 |

The foregoing Report is made up from the Treasurer's account only. I have been unable to state separately the amounts of Taxes, Licenses and Street Poll Taxes received during the fiscal year, as the Marshal's account does not go back further than October 8, 1887, and for the same reason this Report also does not show for what purpose the several warrants have been drawn.

Respectfully submitted.

F. BREITENBACH, City Clerk.

Sonoma, July 5, 1888.

MISCELLANEOUS.

## WHAT

WARNER'S SAFE CURE CURES

- BACK ACHE,
- BLADDER TROUBLES,
- RHEUMATISM,
- NEURALGIA,
- HEAD ACHE,
- NERVOUSNESS,
- INDIGESTION.

There is **no doubt** of this great remedy's potency. It is **no New Discovery unknown** and mayhap **worthless**, but is familiar to the public for years as the only reliable remedy for diseases of the Kidneys, Liver and Stomach. **To be well, your blood must be pure,** and it never can be pure if the Kidneys, (the only blood purifying organs) are diseased.

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Furniture and Bedding,
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Picture-Frames, Shades, Horse Blankets, Tinware, etc., etc.

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**W. G. BADGER,**

## Notice to Perpetuate Testimony

In the Superior Court of the County of Sonoma, State of California.

In the matter of the application of ISAAC LIEBES and CHARLES J. BEHLOW to perpetuate testimony.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in pursuance of an order made by the Judge of the above-named Superior Court on the tenth day of May, 1888, authorizing and allowing the same, the testimony of Mrs. Anna M. Harding, residing in Sonoma County, State of California, will be taken in the above-entitled proceeding before F. Breitenbach, a Notary Public residing in the town of Sonoma, Sonoma County, State of California, at his office in said town, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of August, 1888, at 12 o'clock noon and at such other times to which the same may be continued.

The facts sought to be established by the said testimony are as follows, to-wit: That on or about the 22d day of December, 1873, the aforesaid Anna M. Harding, being then the wife of Isaac Harding, purchased of one Jabish Clement for the consideration of four thousand dollars or thereabouts, that certain lot of land in the town of Sonoma known and designated on the official map of the aforesaid town of Sonoma as out lot number (515) five hundred and fifteen. That the said consideration so paid was money which was the sole and separate property and estate of the said Anna M. Harding, and that the said property thereby became, and was at all times thereafter while owned by her, the separate property and estate of the said Anna M. Harding, and that her husband, Isaac Harding, had no right, title or interest in or to the same.

Witness my hand and the seal of the above-named Superior Court of the County of Sonoma, State of California, this 10th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight (1888.)

[Seal of Court.] J. F. MULGREW, County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Superior Court of Sonoma County, California.

J. R. BRANDON, Attorney for Applicants.
m19 2m 604 Merchant st., San Francisco.

A. SPROUL. D. H. TWING.

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We make Vineyard, Fruit, Stock and Farming Lands a Specialty. tf

## Lost---A Heifer Calf.

STRAYED FROM THE PREMISES OF the undersigned, John Cheleric, the old Wratten place, on Monday, July 9th, a black heifer calf, sixteen months old, with one horn broken and a slit in right ear. Information leading to its recovery will be thankfully received and rewarded.

JOHN CHELERICI.

MISCELLANEOUS. | MISCELLANEOUS.

# JUST RECEIVED!

—AT—

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## CASH DRY GOODS STORE!

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| New | Lawns |
| New | Shambrahs |
| New | White Goods |
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| New | Sateens |
| New | Ginghams |
| New | Sursucker |
| New | Pecales |
| New | Calicos |
| New | Laces |
| New | Embroideries |
| New | Gloves |
| New | Hosiery |
| New | Parasols |
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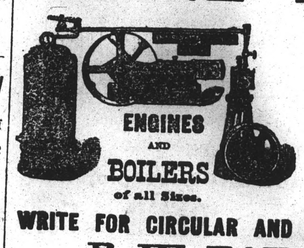

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SONOMA, AUGUST 4, 1888.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.


☞ Hereafter obituaries, funeral notices, tributes of respect, etc., will be charged for at the rate of 10 cents per line.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Go to Pioda's for Sulphur. *

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The Democrats will hold their County Convention in Santa Rosa on Tuesday, August 14th.

Mr. Jacob Adams, proprietor of the Broadway Brewery, San Francisco, was in town Sunday.

Woyl's Cash Grocery Store is selling groceries at the very lowest rates. Call and be convinced. +

Judge J. W. Davis, a leading member of the Bar of Tulare county, is visiting his brother, Dr. H. H. Davis of this place.

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The Postoffice Department has advertised for sealed proposals for carrying the United States mails between Sonoma and El Verano, a distance of one and three-quarter miles.

The Great Register of Sonoma county will be closed on the 6th of October and voters who are not registered by that time will not be permitted to vote at the forthcoming election.

The Directors of the Sonoma County Agricultural Park Association will please accept the thanks of this office for a complimentary season ticket to their tenth annual Fair, which opens in Santa Rosa, August 13th and closes August 18th.

A United States mail route has been established from Napa Junction via Sonoma and Glen Ellen to Santa Rosa. The mail will be carried by the Santa Rosa and Carquinez Railroad daily and the service will commence on September 20th.

Capt. J. H. Drummond of Glen Ellen has donated $25 to be awarded to the school making the largest and most meritorious exhibit of drawings at the forthcoming Fair of the Sonoma and Marin District Agricultural Association which opens in Petaluma August 21st.

The Sonoma Valley Narrow Guage Railroad will be changed to a standard guage in the near future. It is expected the work of changing the guage will commence about the middle of October, when Sonoma Valley passengers will be landed without change of cars at Tiburon.

In the suit of Geo. H. Maxwell vs. H. D. Bacon and F. Bacon, action to recover $100,000 for defamation of character, various motions of defendants' counsel have been denied, and the complaint will have to be answered in the Superior Court of Alameda county next Tuesday.

M. K. Cady and R. A. Poppe of the Sonoma Valley Exhibit Committee have been appointed members of the Executive Committee of the Sonoma County Fruit and Grape Growers' Association, under whose auspices Sonoma county will make its exhibit at the Mechanics' Fair this year.

Sonoma creek in the vicinity of Vollmar's Hotel, Embarcadero, is swarming with carp. Thursday Geo. Engler and John Ludemann caught a large number, varying in weight from half a pound to eleven pounds. The latter will please accept our thanks for a mess of these excellent food fish.

The Supervisors have refused to grade the roads and approaches leading to the iron bridge between this place and El Verano until the county is given a deed of right-of-way through the lands of the Sonoma Valley Improvement Company from the bridge to El Verano station. Until this is done the $3,800 structure will be practically useless. It is expected the deeds will be executed by the company this month.

Chas. Tarrant, editor of the Los Guilicos Herald, was in town yesterday. He was rigged up in the latest style of tailor-made clothes and sported a watch and chain and looked more like an opulent money lender than the editor of a country newspaper. Ah, there, Charley. How we do envy you. We, too, at one time were fine raiment but that is now a thing of the past. Publishing a country newspaper is what did the business.

## THE CITY TRUSTEES.

The City Trustees met in regular monthly session at the Pavilion last Wednesday evening. Present, Trustees McHarvey, Poppe, Wegner, Manuel and Clerk Breitenbach.

The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

The committee appointed at a previous meeting to devise ways and means for organizing and equiping a fire department and perfecting a system of water works asked for further time in which to make a report.

Trustee Wegner did not believe in delaying the matter and suggested that a hook and ladder company be immediately organized.

On motion of Trustee Manuel, however, the committee was given further time in which to report.

In this connection Trustee Poppe stated that the contract or lease entered into by Dr. Lawrence and the Verano Land Company had expired Tuesday, and that the Doctor was free to act for himself and that in all probability he would now proceed to lay pipes and supply the city with water.

The committee appointed to examine the Clerk's financial report found the same correct and it was accepted and placed on file.

The following bills were presented and ordered paid:

W. P. Wilson, glaizing, $2.25; M. A. Carter, sprinkling streets, $5; Wm. Parish, labor, $16; G. W. Sparks, salary, $16.50; F. Breitenback, salary, $75.

The bill of H. H. Granice for printing was referred to the Finance Committee.

On motion the Clerk was instructed to give notice in the Sonoma Index-Tribune of the time and place the Board will sit as a Board of Equalization.

It was moved and carried that the Street Committee look after the trees in the Plaza and see that the streets surrounding the same are properly sprinkled.

The Board then adjourned.

## The Teachers' Excursion.

Over three hundred members of the National Educational Association visited Sonoma and Glen Ellen on Friday of last week. They were received and entertained at Union Hall by the School Trustees and teachers of the Sonoma Public School, who, aided by a number of our citizens, did all in their power to make the stay of the excursionists in Sonoma as pleasant as possible. Had it been generally known that the teachers were to stop at this place on their return they would have been accorded a grand reception. As it was, those having the affair in hand did all that ought to have been expected on so short a notice. Many of the teachers showed exceedingly bad taste in kicking like Texan steers in fly time because they were not better entertained, but had they known that the Sonoma people as a general thing knew nothing of their coming they probably would have dispensed with the characteristic antics of the bovine of the Lone Star State and accepted the situation with good grace.

## Installation.

Sonoma Lodge, No. 28, I. O. O. F., has installed the following officers for the ensuing term: W. F. Breit, N. G; Jas. Albertson, V. G; M. F. Turley, R. S; John Reve, F. S; M. Marti, Treas; L. B. Lyon, R. S. of N. G; J. Erickson, L. S of N. G; J. M. Cheney, Warden; W. P. Wilson, Con.; John Miller, R. S. to V. G; H. Lutgens, L. S. to V. G; John Johnson, I. G.

On Thursday evening of last week Bear Flag Lodge, No. 97, K. of P., installed the following officers to serve for the next six months: Wm. Trudgen, C. C; Joe Hein, V. C; John Reve, Master-at-Arms; C. H. Wise, Prelate; James Martin, P. C; T. H. Gollis, I. G.

## For Supervisor.

In another column appears the political card of M. K. Cady, the Republican nominee for Supervisor of Sonoma and Vallejo Townships. Mr. Cady is well and favorably known to almost every resident of Sonoma Valley, where he has been engaged in business the past eight years. He is one of the most enterprising men in the valley, well educated and a thorough business man, and in selecting him for Supervisor of this district the Republicans have put forward one of their very best and strongest men.

## The Sonoma Valley Band.

A valuable acquisition has lately been made to the Sonoma Valley Band in the shape of a new cornet solist and an alto player. Both musicians until very recently were members of the Mare Island band, which is considered one of the finest military bands in the State. The Sonoma band now boasts of eighteen musicians and a drum major. It is the intention of the band to give a few open air concerts the present month, in which event our people may expect a rare musical treat.

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## THE MECHANICS' FAIR.

### Free Transportation of Products Over the Donahue System.

The San Francisco and North Pacific and Sonoma Valley Railroads have issued the following letter of instructions to freight agents.

To all Agents: As the Mechanics' Fair opens in this city on August 7th, and it is the desire of this Company to lend a helping hand in every way possible to the people of Sonoma, Lake and Mendocino counties, to make the best and most credible showing of the products of their respective counties, you will way-bill all fresh fruit, vegetables and perishable articles of any discription that is offered and intended for exhibit at the Mechanics' Fair free of charge to San Francisco, providing same are marked, "Secretary Mechanics' Fair San Francisco." All other exhibits will be charged regular rates coming to San Francisco and upon presentation of railroad expense bill endorsed by the Secretary of the Fair the articles named thereon will be billed to the original point of shipment free of charge. All articles billed with charges should be prepaid as delivery in this city will only be made to the Secretary of Fair. Where charges are prepaid, give the shipper an expense bill with articles enumerated so that same can be endorsed by Secretary for return. Do all in your power to forward peri hab'e exhibit promptly. CHAS. THORN JR.
General Freight Agt.
San Francisco, July 28, 1888.

## General Vallejo Surrenders to the Teachers.

On the occasion of the recent visit of the teachers to this place a large number called on General Vallejo. They were courteously received by the General and conducted through the beautiful orange, lemon and olive groves surrounding his home. Before taking her leave one of the fair teachers, more bold than the rest, approached the old General, who is seventy-five years of age, and imprinted a kiss on his cheek. Her example was immediately followed by the entire delegation, and for several minutes kisses were showered on him thick and fast. General Vallejo stood the onslaught with his usual good nature to the envy of the gentlemen escorts of the ladies.

## Captain Stofen.

Captain Stofen of Sonoma was in town last Saturday and gave the "Courier" office a call. The Captain will be a candidate for the office of County Treasurer. He made the race two years ago for the same office and made a gallant fight. But the odds against him were too many. Him and his friends believe that if he can get one more chance he will secure the prize. Captain Stofen is every inch a gentleman. He is very popular with all who know him and is generally known throughout the county. He is competent and honest, and has all the Jeffersonian qualifications.—Petaluma Courier.

## Glen Ellen Gossip.

A town clock is talked of here.

The bridge on the Chauvet road has been completed.

Work on the section house on the Santa Rosa and Carquinez Railroad will begin next week.

The Dunbar school will reopen August 6th, with Miss Fannie Bennett as teacher.

The excursion of Eastern teachers to this place last Friday was well attended and greatly enjoyed.

Geo. W. Thomas and James Pieratt, old pioneers of Glen Ellen, who have been seriously ill for the past few weeks, are rapidly improving.

The Santa Rosa and Carquinez Railroad depot building is completed and ready for business. We are proud to say that it is one of the finest and most complete in this part of the country.

OLD TIMER.

## County Cullings.

There are seventeen prisoners in the County Jail.

County Clerk Mulgrew has registered over 5000 voters.

The late H. E. Carver had an insurance of $5000 on his life.

A Chinaman was killed in Santa Rosa last Saturday afternoon by the derailing of a gravel train on the Santa Rosa and Carquinez Railroad.

Circumstances may require us to give up many of the luxuries, and even the comforts, to which we have been accustomed; but there can be no excuse for not providing ourselves and those dependent on us with a remedy for those insidious attacks of disease to which all are liable. Frese's Hamburg Tea not only cures many diseases, but is excellent as a preventive in malarious and other derangements of the system.

ALEXANDER GOLDENSON, the murderer of Mamie Kelley, will be executed in San Francisco on Friday, September 14th.

## Letter From Glen Ellen.

MR. EDITOR: 6:30 A. M. All aboard and we are off for St. Helena to help the N. S. G. W., and the fair Daughters celebrate the glorious Fourth. F. Green and Chas. Weise camped all night in Capt. Drummond's pasture so as to catch the train. Well, boys, keep it up and you will never be left. After a most pleasant ride of an hour we are landed at Napa Junction and to our sorrow find that we have to wait two hours for the up train. Green said he had no objection to waiting, but did object to wait in a prohibition town. So he went on to Vallejo, as he said, to bring back a little *sea breeze*. (How they do change the names of things). Robt. Hill said he could stand water for a short time. Two of Sonoma's fairest daughters were appointed a committee of two to see if the conductor of the freight train would take us as far as Napa city. After taking a look around and seeing Frank L. standing alone, the conductor shook his head and said he was sorry, but could not. Kurtz and Luttrell were smiling at the fair telegraph operator when the welcome train hove in sight with Fred Green and the *sea breeze* at the helm. And all was happy once more. After one hour's ride up the beautiful Napa Valley, we arrived in St. Helena and were received by the reception committee and escorted to the Foster Hotel, where we had a most elegant dinner. (Harry Weise says don't tell the rest). After resting we visited the picnic grounds where we found everybody enjoying themselves. After the ceremonies of the day were over, the floor was cleared and those that wished "tripped the light frantastic toe" to the music of the St. Helena String Band. After dancing and partaking of the bountiful repast which was served we bid our friends a kind adieu and started on our return to Sonoma, and found that we would have to wait at the Junction two hours. But everybody said as Green had looked so happy on his return from Vallejo where *sea breeze* was found, it was voted that we all go down. So down we went, and Mr. Editor, take my word for it, if you are ever caught at Napa Junction with two hours to spare go to Vallejo and be happy. After two hours stay, once more we were on our way home, but fate seemed to be against us, and seemed to say" "Fred Green, misery loves company, and you must take a temperance lecture and abide your time at Napa Junction." The conductor came out of the train dispatchers office looking tired and Brown (who by the way is the handsomest brakeman in the service) said" "just my luck."

A committee of one was appointed to interview the conductor. He performed his duty well, and reported a train off the track in the northern part of the State and orders to wait until she got on, with a message from the conductor to enjoy ourselves and he would land us in Sonoma in time to dance.

Harry Weise was just delivering one of his eloquent speeches full of wit and humor, when the welcome order came to proceed on our journey. We landed in El Verano at 8.45 P. M., and one of G. Harris' elegant coaches was in waiting to carry us to Sonoma, and after the ladies had all been seated the driver informed us that the rule, "always room for one more," did not work on his line, and away he went leaving four tired and hungry men to walk in. We struck out bravely to wade through dust, and after some time arrived at the Union Hotel and the way mine host Raschen received us made our hearts glad.

No use to tell you we enjoyed ourselves, for you were there and know all about it. Suffice to say, we arrived in Glen Ellen next morning tired but loud in our praise of the way we had been treated by the good people of St. Helena and Sonoma, and so hurry up Sonoma and give us another big time. SEA BREEZE.

Glen Ellen, July 30, 1888.

The Occidental Hotel, under the management of Mr. R. D. Moore and his estimable wife, is growing in popularity every day. +

## A Long Sentence.

Marshal Ben Leard, of Healdsburg, brought to the County Jail Monday afternoon, a young man named Daly to serve a term of 499 days in the county jail. He was convicted of having sold liquor to the Indians in Healdsburg, and is said to have been the cause of much of the cutting and stabbing in that vicinity among them.—Republican.

## Helping the Right Side.

To help the right side is not only commendable in a general point of view, but is judicious and prudent when that help is enlisted in behalf of the right side of the body, just over the lower ribs in the region of the liver. The most efficient help is afforded by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, an anti-bilious medicine of incomparable efficacy. Inaction of the liver is accompanied by constipation, sick-headache, furred tongue, nausea, occasional vertigo, an unpleasant breath, yellowness of the skin and ball of the eye. The author of these symptoms, liver complaint, routed by the Bitters is accompanied by them in its flight. Fever and ague, which always involves the liver, dyspepsia, rheumatism, debility and kidney troubles are all maladies to the early relief and final cure of which this standard medicine is adapted. Don't use it by fits and starts, but systematically, that its full effects may result in a perfect restoration of health.

## A PAYING ROAD.

### Net Earnings of the S. F. & N. P. and Sonoma Valley Railroads.

The S. F *Chronicle* says: "That the Donahue railway system is a money-making affair is evidenced by the report of the San Francisco and North Pacific Railroad Company for the year 1887, filed yesterday with V. W. Gaskill, Secretary of the State Board of Railroad Commissioners. Its total income from all sources was $620,648.87, which includes passenger earnings of $325,000, express and baggage earnings of $100,000, freight earnings of $250,000, rents of $9,000, and miscellaneous revenue of $200,000. The expenditures for the year aggregated $399,146.34, including $22,000 for taxes, $90,000 for steamer service, $19,000 office expenses, $6,000 station expenses, $568.52 for legal account, $9,000 for officials' salaries, $53,000 for repairs of road, $10,000 for repairs of bridges, $5,300 for repairs of stations, $30,000 for repairs of locomotives, $25,000 for fuel, $21,000 for repairs of passenger, mail and baggage cars, $16,412.39 for salaries, wages, incidentals of passenger trains and $24,516.01 for salaries, wages and incidentals of stations. Only $150 was paid for damages and gratuities in the passenger account and $663.28 in the freight account, which shows the damage list for the year to have been small, aggregating in fact, but five, in which three persons were killed and two injured. The profit and loss account shows a net gain of $221,539.53. The revised list of directers is as follows: J. M. Donahue, H. C. Whiting, Mrs. Annie Donahue, J. H. Von Schroeder and T. I. Bergin. The road operated by the company during the year covered a distance of 101.5 miles. The company owns 13 locomotives, 26 passenger cars, 11 baggage and mail cars, 69 box, 184 platform and 7 excursion cars.

## An Explanation

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### LIFE.

Let us be like a bird, one instant lighted
Upon a twig that swings;
He feels it yield, but sings on, unaffrighted,
Knowing he hath his wings.
—Victor Hugo. (Translated by Edwin Arnold.)

## THE MINUET.

We were all sitting around the grate fire that cold August afternoon—Matie with her book, Cora and Jack in the corner near the window, mildly flirting over a game of "patience," and I crocheting, and occasionally looking over Richard's shoulder at our house plans, which promised to be unwieldy enough for a state capitol by the time they were fully elaborated.

"A cheerful group," said the doctor, coming in with a rush of chilly air, and, stooping before the grate, he lighted his cigar with a look of great contentment.

"It makes me perfectly seasick to see the sky so dark and those great trees waving in the wind," said Cora. "Mr Heywood, would you mind changing places with me and letting me sit with my back to the window?"

"But I cannot see you so well."

"But I can see you so much better—please do—thank you very much. Mrs Ames, doesn't it give you a creepy feel to hear the wind sighing in the chimney like that?"

"Why, no, it only makes me feel how cozy we are here," said I. "I will tell you what I do mind, though, Cora, the creaking of those boards in the floor up stairs."

("We will not have any creaky boards when we get our new house built," murmured Richard, dreamily.)

"Yes, I know; just like a ghost's footsteps. So much for the delights of a house in the country," said Cora.

"Oh, come now," interposed Jack, "ghosts have no footsteps. They glide around, don't you know, in a perfectly impossible eerie manner, and never were known to make a noise. You may have seen a ghost, but you never heard one."

"I have," said the doctor, unexpectedly.

"Really? Oh, do tell us when!" exclaimed Cora, looking up with wide open, startled eyes.

"Shall I? Do you want to hear the story?" asked the doctor. He spoke to us all, but he looked at Matie. She smiled. Matie never wasted any words, but he seemed quite satisfied, and, leaning against a corner of the mantel, he began:

"It was when I was in Germany, five years ago. I had got through with my hospital work in New York, and I went abroad early in April, intending to stay in Germany about six months. I was almost a stranger in B——, but for a few letters I had to scientific men in the city, and since I knew so little German I determined to live with a German family for a time and cram the language. I liked this plan extremely, so far as the German itself was concerned, but I was not especially charmed with the German fashion of sleeping between two feather beds, which my landlady instructed me were to be shaken up into the middle on cold nights, and on warm nights to each side so as to leave me nothing but the ticking for a covering. I also had difficulty in procuring a generous supply of towels, and was still debating in my own mind whether to stay or to leave, when one of my German acquaintances, a very jolly fellow by the name of Alberti, came to me one day after a lecture we had both attended.

"'My friend,' he said, for I made him talk English with me, 'what say you to taking bachelor quarters with me for a month?'

"'When, Alberti?' I asked. And then he told me his plan. Some friends of his named Hoffmann were going unexpectedly to one of the baths, servant and all, and being quiet people, not much given to journeying, they were a little anxious about their house, and had asked Alberti if he would not occupy it, as if it were his own, until their return. So he proposed that we should room together and dine where we liked. I do not know why he should have chosen me of all his friends to room with him, but I liked him, and I caught eagerly at his proposal. We settled ourselves there the following week. It was a very old house and rather a small one, wedged in between two more pretentious establishments, on a quiet, pleasant side street. It was prettily and quaintly furnished; had a modern upright piano in the parlor, and an antique porcelain stove. All the little knickknacks had been packed away, Alberti said, for he had told his friends that he would not be responsible for anything breakable, so the rooms had a comfortable, airy look which a man enjoys. We got our meals at a restaurant, or cooked them ourselves, attended our lectures or concerts, studied and walked together, and nothing unusual happened until Alberti came in one Friday night saying:

"'My friend, I have to go home to-morrow. I hear my sister is sick. Shall you mind being left alone a night or two?'

"I assured him I should not mind it and helped him off the following day.

"It was the next night, Sunday night that I came home at 9 o'clock from a long solitary stroll and sat down in my window upstairs to smoke a pipe. It was a beautiful, moonlight evening, and the air was very still. Suddenly I heard the tones of a piano, and put my head out of the window to listen, but the sound did not seem to come from the street, but from below me. I listened intently, but it had ceased. Presently it began again in the same way, just a note or two, and then over again. It was unmistakably from down stairs. Next I heard a low chord, followed immediately by a very sweet and charming melody quite unfamiliar to me. It seemed to me to be in minuet time, and was played with the strictest precision and delicacy, but in an old fashioned style and with scarcely any use of the pedal.

"I had locked the house when I came in. No one could have come in since. What, then, was playing down stairs? I determined to go down and see. The house was so full of moonlight that I did not need a candle to see my way. I descended the staircase, still hearing the sweet, full tones of the German piano, and, noiselessly throwing open the parlor door, stood for a moment upon the threshold.

"By the bright light which flooded that part of the room, leaving the rest in greater obscurity, I could see that the piano stool was empty, and yet the melody went on. The air was full of it, and as I accidentally touched the piano case I felt the vibration.

"I stood still a moment, bewildered, then, going forward, I stretched out my hand above the piano stool, a little above it. Instantly I drew it back, tingling as if I had received an electric shock.

"I will not deny that I was frightened. There was something so unaccountable in the whole affair that I felt as if I must be dreaming, especially since the music had abruptly ceased.

"Alberti and I had had a number of speculative conversations over our pipes. He was a very imaginative fellow and used to maintain earnestly that only a thin veil lay between us and the unseen world. And his opinion, he persisted in, undisturbed by my ridicule. I thought of him now, wondering what he would do in my place. Finally I spoke.

"'Whoever you are,' I said, addressing the piano stool, 'if you can speak to me I ask you to do so.' No reply came. The room was by this time perfectly still.

"I spoke again. 'If you cannot speak,' said I, 'please go on playing.'

"After a moment or two the music began again, with the same low chord, and the same melody was repeated to the end. There the playing stopped, and as I once more boldly thrust out my hand, I felt nothing but the air.

"I was almost afraid to leave the room, not knowing whether I might not leave the invisible presence behind me, but I did at last go up stairs, where I lay awake a long time, trying to explain what I had heard. Of one thing I was sure—the touch upon the piano had been by a woman's hand.

"Alberti did not return on Monday. He wrote to me that his sister was better, but he did not dare to leave her yet. I stayed alone, accordingly, for several nights, and was not in the least disturbed by any other uncanny performance. When Alberti did come back at last he had so much to say in regard to a proposed excursion into the Tyrol that it drove my adventure out of my head.

"Indeed, although I tried to remember the music once or twice, it was gone completely, and I had nearly dismissed the whole thing from my mind as a freak of my imagination, until last May, when I went to hear the famous Fraulein ——, in Marston, where she had made an engagement for an afternoon recital.

"I was a little late, and when I asked the usher for a programme he said he was very sorry, but they were all gone. So I should judge it was about the middle of the recital when the fraulein, looking what was the next number on her programme, struck a low chord, and began, to my amazement, to play the air I had heard once before. She played it in the same dainty way, but with more freedom, less formality in the performance, and every note vividly recalled the quaint German parlor, as it was that night, with the bright stream of moonlight on the floor.

"In the slight recess which followed I heard a pleasant voice behind me say, 'Isn't that a sweet little minuet? And such a romantic story about it, too!'

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"'Pardon me,' I said, 'but will you kindly tell me what the story was?'

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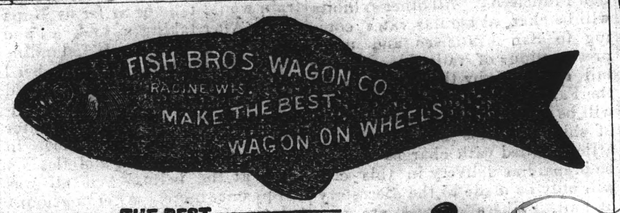


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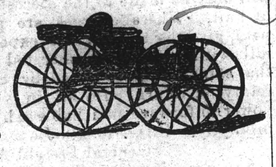

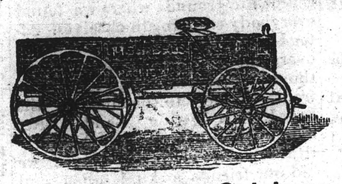

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